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SUBJ: MILITARY SUPPLIES FOR TURKEY

REF: A. STATE 073863

B. STATE 069099 (NOTAL)

C. USISNATO MSG DTG 282300Z MAR 75 (NOTAL)

1. CHARGE PEREZ VISITED TURKISH PERMREP ERALP TODAY TO BRIEF HIM ON REF A INFORMATION ON ALTERNATIVE SOURCES OF MILITARY SUPPLIES. PEREZ TOLD ERALP THAT AMEMB ANKARA WOULD RELAY SIMILAR INFORMATION TO TURKISH AUTHORITIES THERE. AFTER STUDYING PEREZ' TALKING POINTS BASED ON REF A (A COPY OF WHICH WAS PROVIDED), ERALP SAID THAT TURKISH MILREP HAD BEEN IN CONTACT WITH US MILREP ON TURKISH REQUIREMENTS AND WOULD SHORTLY DELIVER A LIST OF REQUIREMENTS TO IMS.

FYI: TURKISH MILREP HAD CONTACTED US MILREP ONLY IN GENERAL TERMS. WE UNDERSTAND TURKISH LIST HAS NOW ARRIVED AT TURKISH NATO DELEGATION AND IS BEING TRANSLATED. PRIOR TO DELIVERY TO IMS, TURKISH MILREP PLANS TO PROVIDE A COPY TO US MILREP TO SCREEN IT FOR ITEMS WHICH MIGHT PROVE EMBARRASSING TO US. END FYI.

2. PEREZ TOOK OPPORTUNITY TO UPDATE ERALP ON CURRENT STATUS OF LEGISLATIVE PROPOSALS ON TURKISH MILITARY AID (REF B, AS SECRET

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AMPLIFIED BY JAVITS PUBLIC STATEMENT REPORTED PARA 8, REF C). ERALP WAS WELL-INFORMED ON BOTH THE SCOTT AND JAVITS PROPOSALS. HE DISMISSED THE JAVITS PROPOSAL FOR SECTION 614A WAIVER OF DOLLARS 50 MILLION FOR MAP AS "CHICKEN-FEED", WHICH CONTAINED

NON-SEQUITUR IN THAT IT WOULD GIVE PRESIDENT AUTHORITY FOR MILITARY ASSISTANCE BUT NOT FOR SALES. HE EXPRESSED STRONG PREFERENCE FOR SCOTT BILL, WHICH WOULD "RAISE THE EMBARGO". PEREZ REPLIED THAT SCOTT BILL MIGHT FACE PROBLEMS IN THE SENATE AND HOUSE, AND PROMISED TO CLARIFY STILL-NASCENT PROVISIONS OF JAVITS PROPOSAL REGARDING MILITARY SALES. MISSION COMMENT: DURING HIS VISIT HERE SENATOR JAVITS APPEARED QUITE OPTIMISTIC ABOUT CHANCE FOR EARLY PASSAGE IN BOTH HOUSES, BY VOICE VOTE, OF A SENSE OF CONGRESS RESOLUTION WHICH WOULD IN EFFECT RESULT IN SECTION 614A WAIVER. IN VIEW OF TURKISH REQUIREMENT FOR SALES, WASHINGTON MAY WISH TO CONSIDER ENCOURAGING SENATOR JAVITS TO ADD A PROVISION AUTHORIZING IF LEGALLY FEASIBLE SOME FMS IN ADDITION TO MAP IN HIS PROPOSAL.

ACTION REQUESTED: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING PROVISIONS OF JAVITS PROPOSAL, AS IT PRESENTLY STANDS, REGARDING MILITARY SALES. PEREZ

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